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TO AMEMBASSY VALLETTA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, MT

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT

1. GAUCI INFORMED NOVEMBER 19 THAT SECRETARY REGRETFULLY WAS UNABLE, BECAUSE OF HEAVY AND PRESSING COMMITMENTS, TO SEE ATTARD KINGSWELL NOVEMBER 20 OR 21, AND THAT HE HAD REQUESTED THE DEPUTY SECRETARY TO SEE THE AMBASSADOR AND RECEIVE MINTOFF'S MESSAGE. DEPUTY SECRETARY PROPOSED 4:30 FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21. AFTER PHONING ATTARD KINGSWELL IN BRUSSELS, GAUCI REITERATED THAT AMBASSADOR WAS UNDER INSTRUCTION TO DELIVER PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM MINTOFF TO SECRETARY ONLY.

2. GAUCI TELEPHONED MORNING OF NOVEMBER 20 TO SAY ATTARD KINGSWELL HAD ARRIVED IN U.S. AND CONFIRMED YOUR INFORMATION THAT HE WOULD SEE ELLSWORTH NOVEMBER 21. GAUCI SAID THIS VISIT WAS NOT CONNECTED WITH MESSAGE FOR SECRETARY AND REPEATED REQUEST FOR MEETING, EVEN IF BRIEF, WITH SECRETARY TO DELIVER THE MESSAGE, POSSIBLY NEXT WEEK. FAILURE TO HAVE MEETING WITH SECRETARY WILL PREVENT ATTARD KINGSWELL FROM CARRYING OUT HIS INSTRUCTION, AND HE FEARED THAT THIS MIGHT BE MISUNDERSTOOD IN MALTA. DEPTOFF CONFIRMED THAT SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE RULED OUT POSSIBILITY OF ANY MEETING.  
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